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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 16, 2003 NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION AND PETITION FOR A FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to the October 16, 2003 Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. The Notice provides a period of two months for filing a response. Therefore, a response to the Notice was originally due December 16, 2003. Applicants hereby petition for a five-month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status. The required fee for a five-month extension of time for a small entity is ONE-THOUSAND AND FIVE DOLLARS (\$1005.00) and a check for \$1455.00, which includes the \$1005.00 fee for a five-month extension of time, is enclosed. Therefore, a response is due May However, since May 16, 2004 falls on a Sunday, a response filed the next business day, namely Monday, May 17, 2004, is considered timely. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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